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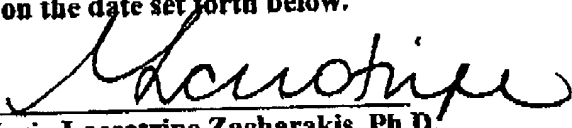
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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This communication is supplemental to the Amendment and Response that was filed on November 25, 2002 in the above-identified patent application. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

In the claims:

Please amend claims 1 and 6 as follows:

1. (Amended) A method for monitoring the effects of a pathology differentiating agent on a tissue sample, comprising: